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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

VERSUS

CRIMINAL ACTION NO. 4:05CR95-P-B

DAVID IBARRA

ORDER

This cause is before the Court on defendant David Ibarra's Motion for Employment of

Private Investigator to Assist Defense [485-1]. The Court, having reviewed the motion and being

otherwise fully advised in the premises, finds as follows, to-wit:

That the motion is not well-taken and should be denied inasmuch as the defendant's

subsequent retention of private counsel refutes the notion that he lacks the ability to pay for the

services of an investigator himself.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that defendant David Ibarra's Motion

for Employment of Private Investigator to Assist Defense [485-1] is not well-taken and should be,

and hereby is, DENIED.

SO ORDERED, this the 8th day of June, 2006.

/s/ W. Allen Pepper, Jr.

W. ALLEN PEPPER, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE